MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, JUNE 9, 1934.

A total of 8 attacks with 3 deaths from plague was reported during the week against 2 attacks with 4 deaths in the previous week. Mysore City reported 1 attack with 1 death while Bangalore City and Kolar Gold Field Area remained free from the disease. The comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1933 and 1932 were 25 attacks with 18 deaths and 7 attacks with 3 deaths, respectively.

One hundred and six attacks with 19 deaths from Small-pox were reported (for the whole State) from one village in each of Hoskote, Arkalgud, Chintamani, Malur, Sidlaghatta, Hunsur, Heggaddevankote and Hosanagar Taluks; two villages from each of Malvalli and Madhugiri Taluks; five villages from Molkalmuru Taluk and from Devanhalli, Chikballapur, Seringapatam and Sagar Towns and from the Cities of Bangalore and Mysore and Kolar Gold Field Area.

Four attacks with 2 deaths from Cholera were reported from one village in Nanjangud Taluk and Mysore City.

The State remained free from Influenza and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 78, representing a calculated annual ratio of 21·30 per mille of population as against the average ratio of 22·48 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Small-pox 1, Typhoid 1, other Fevers 2, Phthisis 13, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 15 and all other causes 46.

During the week, the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 64 deaths representing a calculated annual ratio of 23·90 per mille of population as against the average ratio of 35·30 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 1 under Small-pox, 6 under Broncho-Pneumonia, 1 under Pneumonia, 5 under Phthisis, 13 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa, and 38 under all other causes.

A total mortality for Mysore City was 39, representing a calculated annual ratio of 17·64 per mille of population as against the average ratio of 17·55 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—1 under Plague, 1 under Small-pox, 1 under Cholera, 1 under Malaria, 5 under Pneumonia, 4 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa. and 26 under all other causes.

There were 48 deaths from all causes in Kolar Gold Field Area, equivalent to a calculated annual ratio of 29·63 per mille of population as against the average ratio of 27·03 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Small-pox 1, other Fevers 10, Phthisis 3, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 10, and all other causes 24.

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Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City for the week ending Saturday the 9th June 1934.

Food Articles	Quality	Seers	Lbs. per bag	Rate	Market report	Retail prices
Food Grains and Pulses—				Rs. a. p.		
Rice ...	Guntoor, per palla ...	100	246	10 8 0 to 12 4 0	...	8 to 9 seers per rupee.
	Pattasamanahalli Sanna, per palla.	100	246	.....	No stock	
	Dharapur, per palla ...	100	246	.....	Do	
	Mysore Kaddi, per palla.	100	246	9 8 0 to 10 0 0	...	9½ to 10 ,,
	Alubbalu, per palla ...	100	246	10 0 0	...	10 ,,
Ragi ...	Duyam (Black), per cart-load.	640	...	20 0 0 to 22 0 0	...	25 to 27 ,,
	Superior (Red), per cart-load.	640	...	23 0 0 to 24 0 0	...	
Tur ...	Gulberga ...	...	...	.....	...	9½ to 10½ ,,
Tur (Dal) ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	6 to 8 ,,
Avare ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	6½ to 8 ,,
Avare (Dal) ...	.....	...	...	.....	...	5½ to 6½ ,,
Oils and Oil Seeds—						
Oils ...	Sweet oil ...	...	26½	3 8 0	...	Re. 0-1-6 per seer
	Castor oil ...	...	28	3 10 0	...	,, 0-1-6 per seer
Oil seeds ...	Gingelly or Til seeds, per candy.	255	...	22 0 0 to 29 0 0		
	Castor seed, per candy	255	...	20 0 0 to 21 0 0		
Other Food Articles—						
Sugar ...	White Bura ...	...	25	3 3 0 to 3 8 0	...	Re. 0-6-3 to 0-7-0 per viss.
	Kolar Bura ...	...	25	2 14 0	...	
Jaggery ...	Achu	...	28	1 8 0 to 2 0 0	...	,, 0-3-6 to 0-4-0 per viss.
	Oonde	...	28	1 8 0 to 1 12 0	...	
Ghee ...	Superior (Mandya) ...	...	26½	17 0 0	...	Rs. 2-2-0 per viss.
Salt ...	Bombay Salt (Black) ...	105	...	7 0 0	...	14 seers per rupee

BANGALORE,
Dated 11th June 1934.

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